

Learning Goals

What We Know...

Factored Form - $y = a(x - s)(x - r)$
 How to **FACTOR** (from standard form)
 Can find **ZEROS**

Students will learn...

What it means to **SOLVE** a quadratic

Unit 6:
Quadratic Equations

Quadratic **relation**: $y = x^2 + 5x + 6$ ***refers to every point on the parabola

Quadratic **equation**: $0 = x^2 + 5x + 6$ ***refers to specific point(s) on the parabola

Zeros: x-intercepts of a quadratic relation (i.e. refers to the graph).

Roots: the solution(s) to a quadratic equation. The value of the variable that makes the equation true (LS = RS).

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(6.1) Solving Quadratic Equations

When a quadratic equation can be solved by factoring:

- 1 Replace y with the given value.
- 2 Rearrange to $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ form.
- 3 Factor (if possible).
- 4 Set each factor = 0 ("branch off").
- 5 Solve to find the roots.

What if it can't be factored?

Examples:

1) Find the roots.

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b) $3x(x + 6) + 50 = 2x^2 + 3(x - 2)$

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1) Find the roots.

a) $0 = 9x^2 - 30x + 25$

$3x \cdot 5 \times 2 = 30x$ \therefore Perfect square

$(3x - 5)^2 = 0$ $\left(+\frac{5}{3}, 0\right)$

b) $3x(x + 6) + 50 = 2x^2 + 3(x - 2)$

$3x^2 + 18x + 50 = 2x^2 + 3x - 6$

$3x^2 - 2x^2 + 18x - 3x + 50 + 6 = 0$

$x^2 + 15x + 56 = 0$

$(x + 7)(x + 8) = 0$

$(-7, 0) (-8, 0)$

A | M
+15 | +56
+7 + 8

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 time in years where t = 0 represents 2000.

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$11 = x^2 - 4x - 10$
 $0 = x^2 - 4x - 21$
 $0 = x^2 + 3x - 7x - 21$
 $0 = x(x+3) - 7(x+3)$
 $0 = (x+3)(x-7)$
 $(-3, 11) (7, 11)$ Roots are 11

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a) What is the population in 2000?
 $200, 500$ (500 is correct)

b) When was the population 184 000?
 $P = t^2 + 10t + 200$
 $184 = t^2 + 10t + 200$
 $0 = t^2 + 10t + 200 - 184$
 $0 = t^2 + 10t + 16$
 $0 = t^2 + 8t + 2t + 16$
 $0 = t(t+8) + 2(t+8)$
 $0 = (t+8)(t+2)$
 $(-8, 184) (-2, 184)$

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b/c
 $2000 - 8 = 1992$
 $2000 - 2 = 1998$

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Homework

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